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# UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

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106	330	206 165 Design filing fee	
107	540	207 270 Plant filing fee	
108	790	208 395 Reissue filing fee	
114	150	214 75 Provisional filing fee	
<b>SUBTOTAL (1) (\$)</b>			<b>790</b>

**2. CLAIMS**

Total Claims	Extra	Fee from below	Fee Paid
54	-20 =	<u>34</u> X <u>22</u> =	<u>748</u>
Independent Claims	7 - 3 =	<u>4</u> X <u>82</u> =	<u>328</u>
Multiple Dependent Claims	0	X <u>270</u> =	0

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103	22	203 11 Claims in excess of 20
102	82	202 41 Independent claims in excess of 3
104	270	204 135 Multiple dependent claim
109	82	209 41 Reissue independent claims over original patent
110	22	210 11 Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent
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105	130	205 65 Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	0
127	50	227 25 Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	0
139	130	139 130 Non-English specification	0
147	2,520	147 2,520 For filing a request for reexamination	0
112	920*	112 920* Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	0
113	1,840*	113 1,840* Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	0
115	110	215 55 Extension for reply within first month	0
116	400	216 200 Extension for reply within second month	0
117	950	217 475 Extension for reply within third month	0
118	1,510	218 755 Extension for reply within fourth month	0
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119	310	219 155 Notice of Appeal	0
120	310	220 155 Filing a brief in support of an appeal	0
121	270	221 135 Request for oral hearing	0
138	1,510	138 1,510 Petition to institute a public use proceeding	0
140	110	240 55 Petition to revive - unavoidable	0
141	1,320	241 660 Petition to revive - unintentional	0
142	1,320	242 660 Utility issue fee (or reissue)	0
143	450	243 225 Design issue fee	0
144	670	244 335 Plant issue fee	0
122	130	122 130 Petitions to the Commissioner	0
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